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HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JANUARY 13th, 1890.

六拜禮

號八十月正英曆

PRICE 2½ PER MONTH

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, THIS DAY, the 18th January, 1890, at 2.30 p.m. at his Sales Room, Queen's Road, an Invoice of JAPANESE CURIOS, &c.

An Invoice of JAPANESE PLANTS, comprising DAPHNES, PEACH, CHERRY, CAMELLIA, and PINE. Terms of Sale.—As Customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 13th January, 1890. [232]

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

INFORMATION has been received from the Acting Commandant of the HONGKONG VOLUNTEERS that ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place from the South Shore Battery, Stone Quarry Island, on TUESDAY NEXT, the 21st instant, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. The line of fire will be in a South-Westerly direction from the Battery. All Ships, Junks, and other Vessels are cautioned to keep clear of the Range. By Command. F. FLEMING, Colonial Secretary. Hongkong, 17th January, 1890. [234]

BANK HOLIDAY.

CHINESE NEW YEAR.

IN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875, the Undermentioned Banks will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on TUESDAY NEXT, the 21st instant. FOR THE CHARTERED MERCHANTS BANK OF INDIA, LONDON AND CHINA. C. F. BOWMAN, Manager, Hongkong. FOR THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. U. E. NISLE, Chief Manager, Hongkong. FOR THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED. H. A. HERBERT, Manager, Hongkong. FOR THE COMPTE NATIONAL D'ESCOMPTES DE PARIS. CHANTREY INCHBALD, Hongkong. Hongkong, 16th January, 1890. [233]

ATKINSON'S ENGLISH PERFUMERY.

surpasses all others for its natural fragrance. EAU DE TOILETTE DE L'ORANGER. Unsurpassed for refreshing and softening the skin, and for its exquisite perfume for the bath. An entirely new article prepared exclusively by the inventor. Of all Dealers. J. & E. ATKINSON, 24, Old Broad Street, London, W. Write for a "Golden Leaf" with Address in full. [13-118]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW.

THE Company's Steamship

"HAITAN."

Captain S. Ashton, will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY (SATURDAY), the 18th inst., at Noon, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 17th January, 1890. [231]

FOR SHANGHAI.

"AMOIY."

Captain Th. Lehmann, will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY, the 18th inst., at 2.30 p.m., instead of as previously notified.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & Co., Hongkong, 17th January, 1890. [230]

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO SHIPBOARDERS.

FROM HAMBURG, BREITENBURG, LONDON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Option cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 5 p.m. TO-DAY.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown, and all Goods remaining after the 24th inst. will be subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 24th inst., or they will not be recognized.

No Free Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 17th January, 1890. [147]

HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after the 20th inst., all UNPAID CALLS will be chargeable with Interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per Annum, to be calculated from the 15th November, 1889, and the same will be payable at the rate of 12 per cent. per Annum, to be calculated from the 15th inst.

Shareholders who have already paid the Call, but have not sent in their Bank Receipts, are requested to do so without delay, together with Scrip for endorsement.

By Order of the Board of Directors. H. H. BELL, Secretary. Hongkong, 13th January, 1890. [156]

THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the SECOND INSTALLMENT of 35 (Fifty Dollars) per Share, on the PEAK Hotel, will fall due on February 15th inst., and is payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

Interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per Annum will be chargeable on all Calls Unpaid on due dates.

By Order of the Board of Directors. A. G. GORDON, Secretary. Hongkong, 15th January, 1890. [121]

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby notified that the FIRST INSTALLMENT of 45 (Fifty Dollars) per Share (on Shares not fully paid up) is due on the 4th February, 1890, and this Installment will be received at the Registered Office of the Company, 8, Praya Central, Hongkong, on or before the above date. Interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per Annum will be chargeable on unpaid installments.

A. G. GORDON, General Manager. Hongkong, 4th January, 1890. [117]

DAKIN BROTHERS OF CHINA, MANUFACTURERS.

AERATED WATER.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

From January 1st we shall supply SODA and AERATED WATER in extra large size bottles only, unless the ordinary bottle is specially ordered by our customers. This "Bombay" size is the largest Aerated Water bottle made, and gives a great advantage to the consumer.

The Quality will be maintained as usual, equal to anything turned out in the East.

Price, Cents 50 per dozen.

Syruped Waters will be supplied in ordinary size bottles as before.

TELEPHONE No. 60.

No. 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB.

XMAS PANTOMIME.

ALI BABA and the FORTY THIEVES.

By Special Request there will be a performance of the above Pantomime on the 23rd January, 1890, at 8 p.m.

Prices of Admission: Reserved Seats 25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00. Unreserved Seats 12c, 25c.

Tickets can be obtained at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. on and after WEDNESDAY, the 15th inst.

Hongkong, 13th January, 1890. [149]

HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

As sufficient Shares have been applied for to stock the above Company, the business will be taken over in accordance with the Prospectus from this date; but in deference to numerous requests from intending Subscribers the Share List will be kept open until the 31st inst.

January 1st, 1890.

AERATED WATER.

Our Factory has been recently refitted with automatic Steam Machinery of the latest and most approved kind, and we are well able to compete in quality with the best English Makers.

The purest ingredients only are used, and the utmost care and cleanliness are exercised in the manufacture throughout.

Fox Color Soda Waters are packed and placed on board ship at Hongkong prices, and the full amount allowed for Packages & Expatriation when received in good order.

Analytical Reports and full particulars to be had on application.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

We invite attention to our fine old brandy, all of which is of excellent quality and good value for the money.

The same being specially selected by our London House, and bought direct from the most noted Shippers are imported in wood and bottled by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the best goods at moderate prices.

Price list to be had on application.

CIGARETTES.

We import direct shipments of the following favorite Brands regularly at short intervals: Sweet Caporal, Richmond Gem, and Old Fudge.

Pipes, Cigar and Cigarette Tubes, Cigar and Cigarette Cases, Pouches, Cigarette Boxes, and a varied assortment of Smokers' Requisites.

TOBACCO.

In Tins and Packages.

Pipes, Cigar and Cigarette Tubes, Cigar and Cigarette Cases, Pouches, Cigarette Boxes, and a varied assortment of Smokers' Requisites.

GOODS FOR COAST PORTS.

Whenever practicable, are despatched by first steamer leaving after receipt of order. Most articles can now be sent by the local Parcel Post, and orders of the value of five dollars and upwards are sent freight or postage paid.

Orders through Local Post or by Telegram receive prompt attention.

Order, Forms, and Aerated Water Counterfoils supplied free on application.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LD., THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, HONGKONG.

BRANCH ESTABLISHMENTS.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

THE SHANGHAI PHARMACY, SHANGHAI, 24, Nankai Road.

BOTICA INOLEZA, MANILA, Escorial, 14.

THE CANTON DISPENSARY, CANTON, Canal Road.

THE DISPENSARY, FOCHOW.

THE DISPENSARY, HANKOW.

THE DISPENSARY, TIENSIN.

106, Broadhurst Street, E.C.

Hongkong, 13th January, 1890. [118]

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

GENERAL MEETING will be held TO-DAY, the 18th inst., at 4.30 p.m., at the Cricket Pavilion, to consider the recommendation of the Committee that a Ball be given on MONDAY, the 27th inst., on the occasion of the visit of the Straits Cricket Team.

ARTHUR K. TRAVERS, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 14th January, 1890. [116]

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

NOTICE.

IT is proposed, subject to confirmation at the GENERAL MEETING to be held TO-DAY, to give a Cricket Dinner to the Visitors from Singapore. In order to enable the Committee to make proper arrangements, all Members of the Cricket Club who propose to attend the Dinner are requested to notify the Hon. Secretary of the Club, by return of post, on or before SATURDAY, the 18th inst., and to state the names of the guests (limited to two) whom they wish to attend.

Hongkong, 15th January, 1890. [213]

SCOTCH WHISKY.

Really the best is CUTLER PALMER & Co's. Because it is quite free from fuel oil, and because it is so pure and rich.

It is shipped in Round, Square, and Heart Shaped Bottles.

Our Agents have Stocks of either Scotch Whisky or to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 21st January, 1890. [130]

INTIMATIONS.

BY APPOINTMENT.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

(ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.)

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, HONGKONG.

WHOLESALE & RETAIL DRUGGISTS.

FAMILY, DISPENSING, AND GENERAL CHEMISTS.

PERFUMERS.

PATENT & MEDICINE PROPRIETORS.

SEEDSMEN.

WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS.

MANUFACTURERS OF AERATED WATER.

By Steam Machinery.

OLIVE IMPORTERS, &c., &c.

In submission, an abridged Synopsis of a few of the chief lines of goods included in our business, we beg to state that we import Drugs, Chemicals, and Goods of every kind of the best description only—no other quality is kept in stock.

Our long experience and intimate acquaintance with the Trade, and the best sources of supply, enable us to procure direct from the Proprietors on the very best terms, and thus give us an advantage which enables us to offer our constituents the benefit of a considerable reduction in the price of all our Specialties, as compared with similar articles elsewhere.

We wish it to be clearly understood that our prices cannot be beaten by any other firm in the Colony; and we trust it will soon become generally known that, quality for quality, our Goods are all as good as, and frequently with local rates, and in no instance with their quality at home.

Experienced qualified English Assistants ONLY are employed in the preparation and dispensing of Medicines.

Analysis of all kinds.—We are in a position to well attend to the interests of our Clients.

FAMILY AND DOMESTIC MEDICINES, AND OTHER GOODS AND APPLIANCES, KEPT IN STOCK.

NURSERY AND INVALIDS' REQUISITES.

Infants' Feeding Bottles, Dittos Brushes and Teats, Food Warmers, Lamps, and Nightlights. Invalids' Feeding Cups, and Medicinal Syringes, Breast Pumps, Nipples, Shields, Violet Powder, Puff Boxes, and Puffs.

Infants' Food of all kinds.

Infants' Bedding of all kinds.

Valentine's Meat Juice.

Condensed Milk, Corn Flour, Biscuits, Arrowroot, Bannan Jam, Prepared Ginger, Genuine Mustard, &c.

MEDICAL AND DOMESTIC APPLIANCES, &c.

Cholera Bells, Metal and Earthenware Bed Pans, Diastol Syringes, Rubber Catheters, Syringes, Pumping Facilities, Vaporizers, &c., &c.

SOUTHERN'S Sanitary Towels for Ladies use. Ear and Ear's Syringes, Rubber Catheters, Syringes, Pumping Facilities, Vaporizers, &c., &c.

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INTIMATIONS.

THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1845.

TOTAL ASSETS ON 1st JANUARY, 1889, \$19,234,636.

AMOUNT ASSURED, \$66,936,430.

SURPLUS BY NEW YORK STATE, \$2,787,876.

STANDARD, \$2,787,876.

BIRLEY, DAIRYFLE & CO., Agents, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 21st November, 1889. [2414]

BANKS AND LAND CO.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, \$2,000,000.

PAID UP, \$2,000,000.

Head Office, 40, THEBHALD BUILDING STREET, WEST END, LONDON, W. 2, DOCKEN'S STREET.

BRANCHES IN INDIA, PERSIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives money on Deposit, and issues Bank Notes, and Exchange, issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills of Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally on terms to be had on application.

~~MAIL~~

THE P. & O. steamer English mail of the 24th Dec, will call at 4 p.m. on the 10th, and leave the 10th inst.

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer left Fort Darwin on the 7th, and is due the 17th instant.

The E. & A. steamer *Hirte* left on the 14th, and is due here on the 18th instant.

STAMFORDS EXPRESS The P. & O. extra steamer *Kangaroo* will leave on the 10th, and is due about the 18th inst.

The E. & A. S. Co.'s steamer *Hecate* leaves on the evening of the 11th, and is due on the 18th inst.

The D. D. R. steamer *Hengria* will

at 1 p.m. on the 11th, and is due about the 18th inst.

The Ben Lue steamer *Bangor* departs on the 11th, and is due here on the 18th inst.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Titan* departs on the afternoon of the 15th inst., and is due here on the 22nd inst.

The P. & O. Extra steamer *Lea* departs on the 14th, and is due here on the 29th inst.

1211 OFFICE NOTICE

Letters, Parcels, &c for Kowloon and steamers in Harbour may be sent to the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. Letters from Kowloon up to 12.30 p.m. in the Letter Box which hangs in the Police Station Compound on 'Loak' will be charged. The said checks may be sent to the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m.

are requested to cancel their stamps
the word *stamped* across them.
Covers containing Bank Notes, Ja
should be registered.
There will be no Sunday deliver
When Correspondence has been
delivered, the following rule shall be
occasionally all the addresses on the
note on the cover. *Sent to*
at 7 p.m., or as the case may be, not
without any other writing what
the cover, and the address should
the first time cause of complaint
mistake to let such matters pass
giving trouble, a course which
would be trouble in the end.

The Postal Guide for 1888, revised
by the *Post Office and Daily Press*,
p. 73, of which edition is the only
complete Summary of Postal info
lation in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mail
connections with this paper is on the
cover each day in our Extra, which is
sent twice to a much later hour than
before.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE
FOR SEATON.—For *Haitian*, to-day,
at 11.30 A.M.
FOR SEATON.—For *Siu Nanang*,
16th inst, at 11.30 A.M.
FOR YOKOHAMA AND SAN
FRANCISCO, to-day, at 6.30
A.M.
FOR AMOY, to-day,
16th inst, at 6.30 A.M.
FOR SHANGHAI.—For *Kwangies*,
18th inst, at 3.30 P.M.
FOR HAIKONG.—For *Clara*, to-day,
16th inst, at 5.00 P.M.
FOR SINGAPORE.—For *Electra*, on
24th inst, at 9.30 A.M.
FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY
17th inst, at 10.00 A.M.
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At 11.30 A.M. For Port Darwin, Thursday is
town, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney,
Melbourne, Adelaide, Perth, Fremantle,
24th inst, at 3.30 P.M.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN H.M.S.
The German Contract Packet
is despatched on SATURDAY, the
with Mails for the United Kingdom
and countries beyond, viz. *Brindisi*,
Suez, Aden, Bombay, Calcutta, Rangoon,
Batavia, Singapore, Hongkong, Canton,
Peking, Amoy, Shanghai, Yokohama,
Kobe, Japan, Manila, Cebu, Hongkong,
Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c. &c.
Registry closes at 4.45 P.M.
The mail closes at 5 P.M.
The German Contract Packet will be de-
parted on SATURDAY, the 24th inst, at 9 a.m.
The Post Office declines all respons-
ibility for Unregistered Covers containing
Gold or Jewellery, and, where Regis-
tered, Unregistered Mails, no sum-
assured losses of such covers.

**MAILS BY THE FRENCH PA-
CKETS.**—The French Packet is
despatched on WEDNESDAY
with Mails to the United Kingdom
and places beyond, viz: *Marseilles*;
Strait Settlements, *Batavia*, *Burma*,
Calcutta, *Madras*, *Penang*, *Pondicherry*,
Calcutta, *Aden*, *Manilla*, *Ceylon*, &c.
Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed
for the delivery of letters, viz:—
The Post Office declines all responsi-
bilities for letters, parcels, or valuables
Unregistered Letters containing Re-
ceipts for Gold, Silver, Jewellery, &c., where Regis-
tration has not been previously
been effected, will make no answer
in case of loss or theft, or of any
altered address of such letters.

**HOURS OF CLOSING THE
MAILS BY THE FRENCH MAIL.**
When the French Mail is
closed for the day, the following hours will be observed
for the delivery of letters, viz:—
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ceipts for Gold, Silver, Jewellery, &c., where Regis-
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Money Order Office will be closed at 8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Currents and Circulars ceased.

(Prices Current and Circulars may be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are sent by country by country, with the addresses 10.00 A.M.—Registry ceased.

10.30 A.M.—Posting of newspapers, patterns ceased.

11.00 A.M.—Mail closes.

LATE Letters may be posted at 11.30 A.M. if they are sent up to which hour they may be sent with the same late fee.

POSTAL NOTES.

1.—Postal Notes of the values not payable within three months at any in the United Kingdom, or at Concessions can be obtained at Hongkong or at Canton in China, and at the following places in the Colonies:—

(a) at the following places, where the Commission—

1/2	.....	\$3.66
1/3	.....	3.33
1/4	.....	3.16
1/5	.....	3.33
2/5	.....	3.66

All money orders on the United Kingdom are made out payable to the Hongkong and Shanghai will be issued on these Notes.

2.—The purchaser of any Postal Note still in the Treasury's name before the 1st of January 1917, may have it cashed. He also pays in the name of the place where payment is to be made. If he does the note is payable (within the limits of the United Kingdom) to the Cashier of the Bank of China, any Postal Note not so crossed to a Bank.

3.—Postal Notes should always be held in Registered Covers. If this process is adopted the note is not liable to be lost or the alleged loss of any such note is not a ground for payment.

4.—Postal Notes issued in the United Kingdom are not payable in Hongkong or

NOTICE.

**HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA
COMPANY, LIMITED**

SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS.

It is respectfully informed that, if any vessel arrives in this Harbour, none of the Foremen should be at hand, orders must be sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 10, Central, with respect prompt attention.

In the event of complaints, if necessary, communication with the Foreman is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILL
Secretary.

Hongkong, 26th August, 1888.

